

# **PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

Attorney Docket No.  
1466.1039

First Named Inventor	Takashi SHIIZAKI, et al.		
Application No.	09/885,001	Group Art Unit	2674
Filing Date	June 21, 2001	Examiner	Xiao Min Wu
Title of Invention	DRIVING METHOD OF PLASMA DISPLAY PANEL AND DISPLAY DEVICE		

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The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper response to the Office Action mailed on June 19, 2003, which set a three month/day period for response. The abandonment date of this application is September 20, 2003 (i.e., the day after the expiration date of the period set for response plus any extensions of time obtained therefor).

## **APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION**

**NOTE:** A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Proposed response and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee -- required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995, and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

### 1. Petition fee

- ☐ Small entity - fee \$665.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m))
- ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.
- ☐ A small entity statement was previously filed; such status is still proper and desired.
- ☒ Other than small entity - fee \$1,330.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m))

### 2. Proposed response and/or fee

- A. The proposed response and/or fee to the above noted Office Action in the form of (identify type of response): (1) Notice of Appeal with a Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time; and (2) RCE and Preliminary Amendment with a Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time
- ☒ has been filed previously on (1) December 19, 2003, and (2) May 19, 2004, respectively.
- ☐ is enclosed herewith.
- B. The issue fee (37 CFR 1.18(a)) of \$
- ☐ has been paid previously on \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ is enclosed herewith.

### 3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

- ☐ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- ☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$55.00 for a small entity or \$110.00 for other than a small entity) equivalent to the number of months from abandonment to the filing of this petition is enclosed herewith.

4. Statement. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition was unintentional.

Where a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is not filed within three months from the mail date of a notice of abandonment or one year from the date of abandonment, explain (on an attached sheet) in detail the cause of the delay in filing this petition.

5. METHOD OF PAYMENT

☒ A check in the amount of \$1,330.00 is enclosed.

☐ Charge fees of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 19-3935. (A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.)

6. GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application and of any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC §120 to maintain pendency hereof and of any such related application to:

Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

7. NEW CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

STAAS & HALSEY LLP: CUSTOMER NO. 21,171

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8. SIGNATURE OF REGISTERED PRACTITIONER

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SIGNATURE		DATE	July 1, 2004
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ENCLOSURES:

- ☐ Response
- ☐ Fee Payment (see Item 5, above)
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer Form
- ☐ Detailed Explanation of Delay in Filing Petition
- ☐

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**COMMUNICATION ACCOMPANYING PETITION TO REVIVE AND AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Attached hereto are a Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b) and an Amendment.

The Amendment submitted herewith is substantively the same as the Preliminary Amendment filed May 19, 2004 along with an RCE intended--but incorrectly so-- to be responsive to an Office Action mailed June 19, 2003, subject further to a Notice of Appeal with a Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time which was improperly filed on December 19, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Date: July 1, 2004

By: \_\_\_\_\_

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